

**Remarks**

This is responsive to the Office Action dated February 14, 2005. A response was due on or before March 14, 2005. A Petition and fee for a two (2) month extension accompany this paper. Since Saturday was May 14, 2005, this paper, and any papers that accompany it, are timely filed on Monday, May 16, 2005. Should any additional fees or Petitions be necessary in conjunction with the filing of this Amendment, such Petitions are hereby made and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this filing to Deposit Account No. 50-0959, Matter No. 109004.0032.

Claims 20 to 40 are pending upon entry of this amendment. Claims 1 to 10 have been cancelled. Claims 11 to 19 were previously cancelled. Claims 20 to 22 and 24 have been amended. Support for the amendments to claims 20 to 22 and 24 exists in the specification. No new matter has been added. Accordingly, entry of the amendments to claims 20 to 22 and 24 is respectfully requested.

Claims 30 to 40 have been added. Support for the subject matter of newly added claims 30 to 40 exists in the specification. Accordingly, entry of newly added claims 30 to 40 is respectfully requested.

The Examiner has issued a restriction requirement against the claims as previously filed. There are two groups of claims in the outstanding restriction requirement, they are as follows:

- Group I:        Claims 1-10 (drawn to a radiation curable composition); and\
- Group II:       Claims 20-29 (drawn to a composite object)

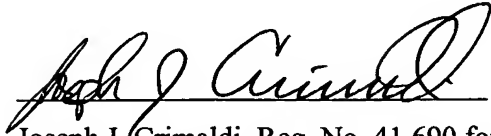
Applicants elect the invention of Group II, namely claims 20 to 29, without traverse.

Additionally, since claims 20 to 29 depend, either directly or indirectly, from newly added claim 30, it is believed that no further restriction/election requirement is warranted. Accordingly, prosecution on the merits should proceed with currently pending claims 20 to 40.

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If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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